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Players Offer Minstrels Two Nights

Interest in the presentation of Cotton Blossom Minstrels by the Bethel Players is increasing. Staged for Friday and Saturday evenings, May 9 and 10, at the William Bingham Gymnasium, the array of new and older talent promises a well balanced show.

Included in the cast are: pianist, Charles Chapman; Interlocutor, Charles Pendleton; and end men, Blackie Cummings, Charles Freeman, Pat Murphy, Guy Parker Jr., Dick Young and Win Howe.

Specialties will feature songs by Win Howe, Dick Barbour, Guy Parker, Pat Murphy, Sylvia Sloane, Dick Young, and Raymond Nowlin.

Opening number is a cake walk by Pauline Graham and Peanut. Dance numbers include Carolyn Reynolds and Carol Keogh and a doll dance in which six take part.

Other attractions are a baton tap by Bonnie Whitman; tumbling act by Dean Bennett and Hugh Swan; skit by David Thompson; song and dance by Charles Freeman, Dick Young and Red Noyes; accordion solo, Laura Yates; duet, Emily Saunders and Norm Greig; guitar solo, Frankie Linnell; quartet, Norm Greig, Addison Saunders, Russell Graham and Dick Barbour; trio, Janice Lord, Barbara Cole and Dick Emery; and several chorus numbers.

The Saturday performance will feature appearances by State Champion Fiddler Eugene Andrews and his daughter, Mrs. Marion Buck (marimba) both of Norway. Reserved seat tickets are still available for both evenings at Bosserman's Pharmacy.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS HOLD MEETING

A Methodist Sunday School Workers Conference was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Althea Brown. The superintendent reported 17 children wanted to go to the Winthrop camp. Plans were made for raising money, the Sunday School to pay \$100 toward the expenses of each child.

It was voted to have a supper at the church for this purpose on May 23. Committees are: Supper, Althea Brown; tickets and advertising, Elsie Davis; dining room, Rachel MacKay; music, Muriel Paul; clean-up, Helen Stevens; Rev and Mrs. Hickland; Lela Davis, Minnie Wilson.

Plans were made for the Teachers' Parent Association meeting on June 1. It was voted to send for projector slides, also to demonstrate family devotions and have worship center set up for pre-school, primary, teen-age and juniors.

Children's Day will be observed at the time of the regular Sunday morning service, June 1.

HERBERT J. E. BURGESS

Herbert J. E. Burgess died early Saturday morning at his home at West Greenwood following an illness of several months. He was a former resident of Bethel.

He was born March 7, 1885, son of Clarence and Clara Lewis Burgess. He was employed as a farmer and carpenter.

Mr. Burgess leaves a son, Elwin, U.S.A., stationed at Fort Dix, N. J.; two daughters, Mrs. Helen Yates and Mrs. George Tibbitts, both of Norway; three sisters, Mrs. Harry Powers, Newry; Mrs. Ada Grover, Bethel; and Mrs. Minnie Luxton, Bethel; a brother, Howard; and several grandchildren.

LOCAL STUDENTS HONORED AT UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

Donald K. Lord of Bethel recently was elected vice-president of the Alpha Epsilon honorary music society, and president of the Canada Band for the coming year. Miss Lois Van Den Kerckhoven of Bethel has been chosen assistant chairman of the band.

MINERAL ASSOCIATION PLANS GREENWOOD STOW TRIPS

The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association met Monday, May 5th, at the home of Dana Putnam, Rumford Corner. A pre-meeting inspection of Dana and Dorothy Putnam's outstanding collection was enjoyed by those present. Members brought specimens of their previous field trip to Mt. Aspet to be discussed and identified.

Meetings in the future will be held on the third Tuesday of each month. The next meeting will be held at the home of Alexander Robertson in Rumford, June 17th.

The Association has recently purchased two books for their library: "The Art of the Lapidary" by Francis J. Sperian and "Dana's Textbook of Mineralogy" by W. B. Ford.

A field trip is planned for the Greenwood area (Noyes Mt. and Uncle Tom Mt.). Members to meet at Perham's mineral store at 9:30 a. m. Sunday, May 25. A double trip is planned to Cotton Hill, Stow, Sunday, June 2. Members to meet at Thurston Cole's home, Rumford Point, at 9 a. m.

SOCKLEXES NEWELL

Socketexes Newell died at his home in Greenwood Tuesday after a long illness.

He was born at Old Town, Oct. 11, 1874, the son of Loren and Susan Newell. He lived for many years at Bryant Pond, where he married the former Lida D. Powers, who died in 1924. He then moved to Locke Mills where he worked as a lathe operator in the E. L. Tebbetts Spool Co. mill. After his retirement he operated a roadside work shop for several years.

Surviving are four sons, Linwood of Conway, N. H.; Edward of North Anson, Glenwood of Bethel, and Stanwood of Portland; six daughters, Mrs. Laura Linscott of Blue Hill, Mrs. Lydia Boothby of Westbrook, Mrs. Mildred Melville and Mrs. Lona Harris of Locke Mills, and Mrs. Marguerite Harthorne of Bethel; a brother, Thomas of Dixfield; 41 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the Bryant Pond Universalist Church. Burial will be in Lakeside Cemetery.

BETHEL SOLDIER TO WED GEORGIA GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stewart of Augusta, Ga., announce the engagement of their daughter, Emma Elizabeth, to Cpl. Herbert F. Lyon of Camp Gordon. Cpl. Lyon is the son of Harry and the late Mildred Haggood Lyon of Bethel. The wedding will be an event of the early summer.

WMPA TO MEET AT BRYANT POND MONDAY

The regular meeting of the Western Maine Farmers' Association will be held at Bryant Pond Monday evening, May 12. Supper will be served from 6 to 8. There will be a speaker and a film on Lumber Operations.

CONGREGATIONAL GUILD

The next meeting of the Guild will be held May 14, at 7:30 in Garland Chapel. The program will be a musical featuring pupils of Richard Barbour.

The last meeting of the year will be May 28 with a picnic at Mrs. Addison Saunders' camp, Songa Pond.

BETHEL GIRLS SELECTED AT U. OF M.

At the University of Maine last week two Bethel girls were named to societies at the annual Ephebian banquet. Miss Mary Alice Hastings became a member of the Eagles, whose function is to help freshmen girls get acquainted with sophomores and to aid first year students in adjusting to college life. Miss Laura M. Wilson was selected as a member of Neat Math-etel, whose membership is based on scholarship.

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G. of C. CONSIDERS BAZAAR PROJECT—SCHOOL MUSICIANS GIVE PLEASING PROGRAM

Plans for participation in the Bazaar this summer were discussed at the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening, after President Wilbur Myers gave a report of the preliminary meeting held recently. Members favored sponsoring a project for this event and it is expected that a committee will be named later.

The business session was followed by an excellent program presented by young grammar school musicians, directed by Richard Barbour.

The program: Violin Quartet, Old Black Joe—Dawne Christie, Camella Whitman, Glenyce Berry, Sandra Myers.

Trio, Home on the Range—Richard Saunders, Jack Greig, Melvin Jodrey.

Violin Trio, Vesper Hymn—Dawne Christie, Camella Whitman, Richard Barbour.

Piano Solo—Sonatina—Carla Grover.

Violin Duets, Long Long Ago, Santa Lucia, America the Beautiful—Dawne Christie, Camella Whitman.

Accordian Solos, Home Sweet Home, La Espagnola—Roberta Bean.

Trumpet, Taps—Melvin Jodrey.

EDMUND SMITH NAMED TO REGIONAL FARM BUREAU COMMITTEE

The Maine Farm Bureau Association Board of Directors have nominated five leading Maine farmers to appointments on Northeast Regional Commodity Committees of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Nominations included, to the Livestock Committee, Edmund Smith of Bethel. Mr. Smith is a former president of the Maine Agricultural Extension Association. He has been president of the Oxford County Extension Association. He was honored by the University of Maine as an outstanding farmer and has served his town and community as well as his local grange. Mr. Smith is a breeder of purebred Hereford cattle.

Other nominations were: Dairy Committee, Clifford B. Smith, of Bangor; Fruit and Vegetable, Smith C. McIntire of Perham; Regional Poultry, Walter W. Chick; and Field Crops, Clarence W. Parker of Sebect.

GOULD PASTIMERS BATTER GORHAM, N. H., 16-4

Gould Academy defeated Gorham, N. H., high school in a game played at Gorham, May 2. The box score follows:

Gould	ab	r	h	e
Laveloy	6	2	1	
Rowe	5	2	2	
Johnson	4	3	3	
Barlett	5	3	2	
H Adams	6	2	2	
Burnham	1	0	0	
Patterson	4	0	1	
R Adams	5	1	2	
Melville	4	1	0	
Jordan	2	2	1	
Caulombe	2	0	0	
Totals	44	16	15	
Gorham	ab	r	h	e
B Kennedy	1	0	0	
Kennedy	5	1	0	
Drurif	5	1	2	
Dunick	4	1	0	
Ballargeon	5	1	3	
Nichols	5	1	1	
Ledger	1	0	0	
Holmes	4	0	0	
Alchil	1	0	1	
Perkins	2	0	0	
Micereel	5	0	0	
Evans	1	0	0	
Rehoo	2	0	0	
Totals	41	8	9	

Winning pitcher Jordan. Losing pitcher Perkins.

Gould 440 (30 41) 16. Gorham 221 (20 10) 8.

BETHEL MARINE WITNESSES ATOMIC EXPLOSION

Marine Corporal Bruce J. Monfette of Bethel witnessed an atomic explosion, and then joined in the mock assault on an objective near the center of the atomic impact area. He is one of the 2,000 Marines taking part in the latest series of atomic tests at the Atomic Energy Commission Proving Grounds at Camp Desert Rock, Nevada.

The exercise includes training in operations employing the use of atomic weapons, the handling and use of equipment exposed to an atomic explosion, and the newest developments in physical protection.

Cpl. Monfette is a member of a provisional battalion of Marines from Camp Pendleton, Calif., which along with another battalion from Camp Lejeune, N. C., was flown to the desert site to participate in atomic attack problems. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Monfette of Bethel.

Gould Wins Two Meets

GOULD WINS OVER FARMINGTON IN TRACK, 81-36

Gould Academy's well balanced track and field team easily defeated Farmington High here last Wednesday 81-36. The winners took 10 first places in the 13 event meet. High scorers for the Huskies were Linnell 13, Bacon 13, Hastings 11, Nowlin 11, and Symons 10. The leaders for the Greyhounds were Hobbs and Rackliff with nine each and Turner with eight.

Discus—Won by Hastings (G), Hobbs (F), Greenlaw (F), 110 ft. 4 in.

120 yd. high hurdles—Won by Linnell (G), Ellis (F), Chase (G), 17.6 sec.

Pole Vault—Won by Hobbs (F), Hastings (G), Bacon (F), 10 ft. 5 in.

100 yd. dash—Won by Symons (G), Nowlin (G), Akeryl (F), 11 sec.

Broad Jump—Won by Nowlin (G), Rackliff (F), Fleet (G), 17 ft. 10 in.

1 Mile—Won by Ferguson (G), Turner (F), Bosworth (G), 5:04.3.

Javelin—Won by Bacon (G), Ferguson (G), Hobbs (F), 132 ft. 5 in.

440—Won by Rackliff (F), Swift (G), Fleet (G), 57.2.

Shot put—Won by Bacon (G), Staples (G), Goodwin (F), 41 ft. 7 in.

High Jump—Tie between Bacon, Linnell, Hastings, all of Gould, 5 ft. 2 in.

120 yd. low hurdles—Won by Symons (G), Ellis (F), Trimbach (G), 14.7 sec.

220 yd. dash—Won by Linnell (G), Nowlin (G), Rackliff (F), 24.6 sec.

Totals—Gould 81, Farmington, 36.

CHEVERUS BOWS TO GOULD IN TRACK, 95-22

Gould Academy overwhelmed Cheverus High here last Saturday, sweeping all the first places. Linnell with 18 points and Bacon with 16 were high for the winners. Silvan scored two seconds, and a third for seven points for Cheverus high point man.

Discus—Bacon G, Staples G, LaVigne G, 103 ft. 2 in.

120 yd. high hurdles—Linnell G, Silva G, Watson G, 17.9 sec.

Pole vault—Hastings (G), Moore G, Watson G, 19 ft. 3 in.

100 yd. dash—Symons G, Tomlin G, Treely G, 10.8 sec.

Broad Jump—Nowlin G, Linnell G, Watson G, 18 ft. 5 in.

Javelin—Bacon G, Howe G, Ferguson G, 153 ft. 8 in.

1 Mile run—Ferguson G, Butler G, Barworth G, 5 min. 1 sec.

440 yd. dash—Murphy G, Magno G, Fleet G, 57.5 sec.

Shot Put—Bacon G, Staples G, LaVigne G, 41 ft. 3 in.

High Jump—Linnell G, Hastings G, Bacon G, 5 ft. 5 in.

120 yd. low hurdles—Symons G, Trimbach G, Silva G, 15 sec.

220 yd. dash—Linnell G, Dawson G, Ball G, 24.7 sec.

880 yd. run—Swift G, Silva G, Ferguson G, 21 min. 18 sec.

LOCAL PIANO PUPILS APPEARING IN RECITALS

Edith Hayes Epper is presenting a group of her piano students in recital on May 16 in the William Bingham Gymnasium at 8 p. m. Those playing are Patricia Gunther, Beverly Oefroth, Catherine Carver, Carla Grover, Carolyn Chadbourne, Nancy Carver, and David Lord.

On Sunday, May 25, at 8 p. m. a second group of pupils will play in recital at the Music Room. Included in this group are the following: Susan Boynton, John Howe, Elaine Whitman, Marianne Brown, Kent Taylor, Timmy Carter, Sharon York, JoAnn Roderick, Ruth Stevens, Betty Chapman, Susan Saunders, Camella Whitman, Catherine Carver, Carla Grover, Eve Morrill, Ann Carter, Charles Merrill.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

News of late events is welcomed by the Citizen. For this reason it is important that reports of early happenings be sent promptly. Accounts of week-end events should be in this office by Wednesday morning.

RE-OPENING KOZY KORNER

May 17

Hours: Week Days—7 a. m. to 11 p. m. Saturday—7 a. m. to 1:30 a. m. Sunday—10 a. m. to 11 p. m.

SAME GOOD THINGS TO EAT AS LAST YEAR.



Mr. and Mrs. Blake MacKay

MACKEY - BROWN

Miss Rachel Brown was married to Blake MacKay at the Bethel Methodist parsonage with Rev. David Hickland using the double ring service, Saturday evening, May 3, at 7 o'clock.

The bride wore a wine and white checked suit with wine and white accessories and a corsage of red roses. Miss Arlene Brown, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a wine suit with white accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Rodney Eames acted as best man. Mrs. Eames, sister of the groom, also attended the wedding.

The couple will make their home in Bethel after returning from their wedding trip.

WARDEN NOTES ERROR IN COUNTY GAME LAWS

Don Bouchard, local game warden, wishes to make this announcement: The fishing season opened in Oxford County on April 15th. There is an error in the Oxford County Maine Inland Fishing Laws for 1952. Correction is as follows: Daily bag limit per person is 15 trout, salmon or toque in rivers, streams and brooks and 19 trout, salmon or toque per person from any lake or pond unless otherwise restricted. Trout less than 3 inches cannot be taken from any lake or pond.

PRESENTING DANCE PUPILS HERE NEXT WEEK

Miss Anita Lambert, assistant teacher at the Ellen T. Cooper School of Dance will present her Bethel pupils Thursday, May 15, at the William Bingham Gym at 7:30 p. m. Several of her Bethel pupils will appear in her Berlin recital on Monday, May 19, at Berlin High School.

Bethel pupils are: Terry Parsons, Barbara Hutchinson, Linda Lord, Barbara Lee Douglass, Jane Dawn, Linda Paine, Lou Ann Brown, Candy Freeman, Linda Martin, Carolyn Chadbourne, Roberta Bean, Lillian Currier, Carla Grover, Beth Ann Brown, Cheryl Douglass, Diana Douglass, Donna Rye, Susan Royton, Judy Van, Marjorie Morton, Susan Saunders, Carol Keckli, Carolyn Reynolds, Bonnie Whitman, Ann Carter.

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Baseball Practice

THURSTON FIELD

MONDAY, MAY 12 6:30 p. m.

All players interested in playing Town Team ball in Bethel this summer are requested to attend.

Bethel Athletic Club

Cotton Blossom Minstrels

End Men

Blackie Cummings Guy Parker, Jr.

Charlie Freeman Dick Young

Pat Murphy Win Howe

Interlocutor: Charles Pendleton

Specialties and Chorus

MAY 9 AND 10 8 P. M. WM. BINGHAM GYM

Road Crews To Clean Up Roadsides

In observance of May 12-17 Maine's official clean-up week, the State Highway Commissions Maine tenance organization will remove about 2,200 truck loads of bottles, tin cans, paper and other litter scattered along Maine's 9,467 miles of State maintained highways.

During clean-up week some 4,000 highway patrol crews will load and haul away the miscellaneous rubbish which has accumulated during the winter months. Each crew will be responsible for an average of 47 miles of roadsides and based on previous years, the cost of this work will be about \$30,000.

Not only will be a complete clean-up be made during the week of May 12-17, but each week during the remainder of the summer patrol crews will be instructed to keep their sections reasonably clear of rubbish.

POPPIES TO HONOR NATION'S WAR DEAD

"Wear a poppy to honor the war dead and aid war's living victims."

This is the appeal that will be made to everyone in Bethel by the American Legion Auxiliary on Poppy Day, May 21. It has been announced by Mrs. A. D. Forbes, Poppy Chairman of Mundt-Alien Unit of the Auxiliary.

Women of the Auxiliary will be on the streets throughout the day offering the symbolic memorial poppies and receiving contributions for the Auxiliary's work in behalf of disabled veterans and needy children of veterans. The poppies will be crepe paper replicas of the wild poppies which grew "between the crosses, row on row" in the battle cemeteries in France and Belgium. They have been made for the Auxiliary by disabled veterans of both World Wars.

This year the poppy will have added significance because of the long lists of war dead from Korea which have been added to the heroic roll of those who have died for America. Mrs. Forbes said "Also there will be increased need for the Poppy Day contribution because of the many thousands of young men disabled in the Korean fight. We hope that everyone will understand that the memorial poppy means honor for the nation's war dead and aid for those suffering as a result of war service and will wear one of the little red flowers proudly on Poppy Day."

SOCIAL DANCE

West Bethel

Grange Hall

SATURDAY, MAY 10

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Petunia, Aster

Geranium, Portulaca

Cauliflower, Broccoli

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Marlin's Red & White Store

MacKillop's Store, Bryant Pond

Dr. Robert C. Scott

CHIROPRACTOR

12 Paris St. (Cor. Winter St.)

NORWAY, MAINE

PHONE 150

The Week in Oxford County

Thirty Emergency Feeding chairs in Oxford County have received their final training this week.

Miss Madeline Lamb, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lamb, Oxford, was elected president of the Oxford County Baptist Association Young People's Society at the annual meeting at Bryant Pond, Friday.

Norway townspeople voted to purchase land for an industrial arts building for Norway High School and voted to raise \$500 for same at a special town meeting Monday night. The article is appropriate there to \$30,000 to build the new building was voted down.

Alexander Richard who for three years has been the successful teacher-coach at Dixfield High School, has tendered his resignation to Eupt. Bruce J. Kinney. He is a veteran of the U. S. Air Force, European Theatre. Presently he is working for a Masters degree at U. of M. summer sessions.

Block car track on Grand Island will open May 11. A new clay surface has been applied to the track. The former Norway Hospital has begun operating on a planned 24-hour schedule. It is under the supervision of Mrs. Elizabeth C. Farrer, at N.

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott
Mrs. Eva B. Twitchell, R. N., has been asked by Public Health Nurse, Mary DuBois, of State Health and Welfare Dept., to make a survey of the mothers of pre-school children in regard to having a series of three free well child health clinics during the summer. They should notify Mrs. Twitchell at an early date.

Judith Groven Tent No. 17, D. of U. V., met in regular session on Monday evening, April 28th, with President Helen Ring presiding. A communication from the Dept. Pres. was read and it was announced that the Dept. Convention was to be held in Portland in June. The Pres. appointed Phyllis Hathaway and Alberta Dunham to serve on the refreshment committee for the month of June. It was voted to hold the next meeting, May 12, at the Juvenile Grange Hall as has been the custom in past years during the summer months. Meeting will start promptly at 8 p. m. Edith Hathaway received the mystery box of the evening and Inez Whitman received a special mystery package. Riddles and games under the direction of the Patriotic Instructor, were enjoyed and refreshments were served by Edith Hathaway and Verna Swan.

Franklin Grange observed Past Master's Night Saturday evening with Dana O. Dudley as Worthy Master. Mr. Dudley is the oldest living Past Master of this Grange. Four visitors were present from East Bethel. Moving pictures were shown by Lecturer Harris Hathaway. These included two on agriculture, "The Growth of a Nation," and "Home on the Range," and several cartoons. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Electa Davis, Miss Charlotte Cole and Lloyd Davis.

Mrs. Inez Whitman and daughters, Edith and Clara, were Sunday dinner guests of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Winton Abbott, West Paris.

Abner H. Mann was given a surprise birthday party Friday evening at the lathe room, Mann's mill, here. Guests included employees of the mill with wives or husbands. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Mann, West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kneeland, Molokai, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mann, Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Alden Chase, Colored pictures were shown by Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mann; Grover Gorman gave readings and Raymond Dunham played selections on a record player. The honor guest received many gifts. Refreshments including a birthday cake made by Mrs. Abner Mann, were served by her assisted by Mrs. Stanley Andrews and Mrs. Esther Farnum.

Mrs. Leslie McCurdy, New York, was in town a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wheeler are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Wilfred Charest and family, at Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole, accompanied their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bear, to Middle Haddam, Conn., Wednesday for a short stay, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dudley came home the first of last week after spending the winter at West Palm Beach, Fla.

Jefferson Chapter, OES, will hold a stated meeting, Friday evening, May 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews were honored at a surprise party on their 43rd wedding anniversary Thursday evening by their children, grandchildren, great grandchildren, and 150 neighbors and friends who gathered at the Grange Hall at Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, the former Beale Grover, were married at Bethel, May 1st, 1907. They resided at Albany, Bethel, and South Paris before making their home at Bryant Pond in 1915 when Mr. Andrews started carrying the mail. He retired from the mail route three years ago.

The five children, thirteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Members of the family present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway, Phyllis, Harriett and Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring, Arthur and Kaye; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham, Alberta, Roland, and Mary; Mr. and Mrs. Belmont; Mrs. and Philip; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Farnum, Alice and Leatrice; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell, Jean and Jane.

Relatives and friends were present from Norway, East Stoneham, North Waterford, Bethel, West Bethel, Albany, Locke Mills, West Paris, Berlin, N. H., Milton and Greenwood.

Jean and Jane Wardwell, dressed as bride and groom, and Philip Hume, presented their grandparents with flowers.

The wedding cake was made by Edith and was served by Edith Hathaway and Mary Dunham.

The gifts were in charge of Albert Dunham, Phyllis Hathaway, Mary Ring, and Leatrice Farnum.

The great book was in charge of Alice Farnum and Beale House. Refreshments were served by the grandchildren.

Program
Roy Wardwell
The Cole family

NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. Roy Tripp, Corres.
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gross and family held a Sugar Party Wednesday evening. Guests were Mrs. Clinton Staples, and son, Floyd; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tripp and children, Suzanne and Peter, and Harold Brooke. Floyd entertained the group with harmonica and pall solos. Refreshments of Maple Sugar on snow were served.

Lester Lane has moved to his home after spending the winter at Poplar Tavern.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred York of Stratton visited Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Baderholder over the week end.

Miss Patsy Gunther was a week end guest of Miss Suzanne Wight.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour McAllister of Bryant Pond were at their camp last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blake of South Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. John Vail Saturday night.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bennett is ill of pneumonia at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mervin Rowland, U. S. N., has moved his family to their home at Poplar Tavern after living in South Portland the past two years, while Mr. Rowland was on duty at the Portland Naval Recruiting Station. Mr. Rowland reports for sea duty May 21.

Mrs. John Vail remains very ill at her home.

Neil Gross and Roy Tripp were in Portland Tuesday afternoon.

Readings
Everett Howe
Roy Wardwell
Dancing was enjoyed with music furnished by Mrs. Hazel Wardwell, Cecil Kimball, Everett Howe and Basil Green.

Gifts included: a set of dishes from their children; Seth Thomas mantel clock from friends and neighbors; tablecloths, sheets, pillow cases, three tablelights, dishes, flowers, money and many cards.

New books at Whitman Memorial Library:
Non-Fiction:
Carson, Rachel—"The Sea Around Us" Interesting description of how the earth acquired its oceans, how life in the sea began, currents and tides, hidden lands and mineral resources.

Crawford, Marlon—"Elizabeth the Queen" A fascinating biography of the young Queen Elizabeth II, by the woman who lived in the royal family 17 years, and wrote "The Little Princesses" and "Mother and Queen."

Frank, Pat—"Hold Back the Night" Heroic story of a company of Marines in the Korean War.

Gallico, Paul—"Trial by Terror" Tells of an American newspaperman in Europe who found out how Communists obtain confessions from their victims.

Goggin, Bill—"Nature I Love" A real life story with Maine as setting. Tells how the author lived in the woods to find himself and decide what he wanted to do in life.

Ogilvie, Elizabeth—"My World is an Island" A happy story of the satisfactory way of life which the author found on a small island off the Maine coast.

Fiction
Caldwell, Taylor—"The Balance Wheel" About a family in a small town in Pennsylvania at the time of World War I.

DuMaurier, Daphne—"My Cousin Rachel" Baffling story of a woman as bewitching as Rebecca.

Giles, Janice—"Tara's Healing" A young doctor, who cracked up during the war, finds the meaning of love and service among the people of the Kentucky Mountains.

Turnbull, Agnes—"The Crown of Glory" A warm-hearted portrait of a minister and his family in a small village. By the author of "The Bishop's Mantle."

Gardner, Eric S—"Case of the Muth-Eaten Mink" and "Rancher Mary Roberts" "The Swimming Pool" Two good mysteries by popular authors.

Groy, Zane—"Captives of the Desert" and "Blame W. M. "Challenge to Danger" Other Westerns and light romances.

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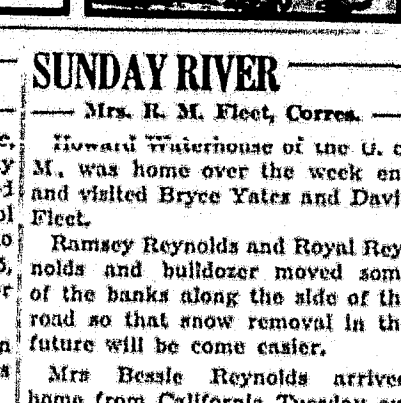
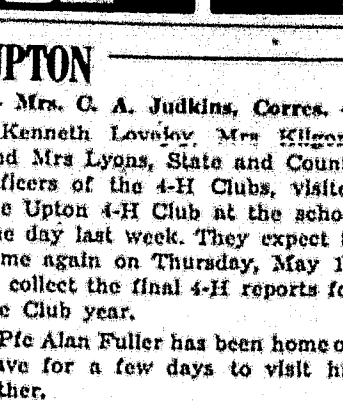
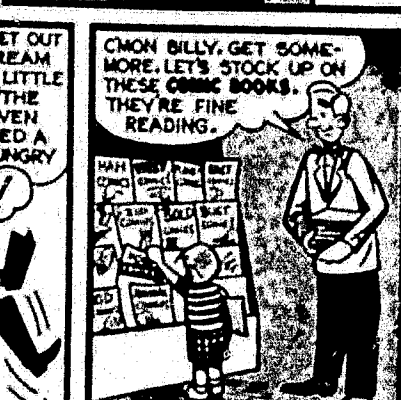
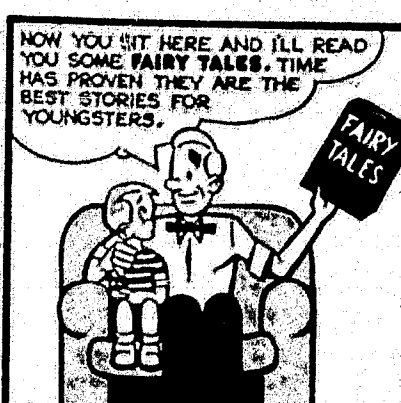
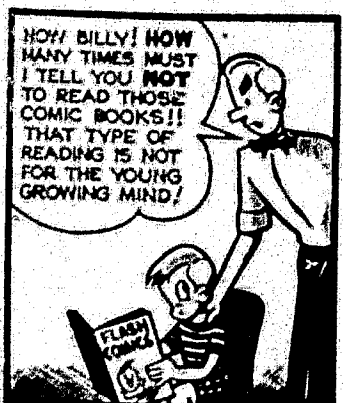
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THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Corres.
Kenneth Lowrey, Mrs. Kilgore, and Mrs. Lyons, State and County officers of the 4-H Clubs, visited the Upton 4-H Club at the school one day last week. They expect to come again on Thursday, May 15, to collect the final 4-H reports for the Club year.

Pie Alan Fuller has been home on leave for a few days to visit his father.

Shirley Euman was home from Stephens High School and Mary Douglas from Gould Academy over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McPhee of Bath spent the week end at their camp.

Armand Lavalley and family of Berlin, N. H., have bought Lyman Lane's house and are moving in.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pratt of Bethel spent the week end with Mrs. Mabel Durkee.

Several of the young people hung a May basket to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jenkins Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lavonne Whitney has gone to North Jay to care for Mrs. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burnham of Hopedale, Mass., were at their camp over the week end to get their boat and camp ready for the summer.

O Lee Abbott of Bangor was in town a few days last week on business.

Everyone was called out to a chimney fire at George Wright's Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Colon Fuller are working at Jerry West's in Errol, N. H.

Mrs. Lester Hathaway and son, Alton, and friend of Bryant Pond, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Jenkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Jenkins attended Pomona Grange in West Paris Tuesday evening, May 6.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres.
Howard Waterhouse of the U. of M., was home over the week end and visited Bryce Yates and David Fleet.

Ramsey Reynolds and Royal Reynolds and bulldozer moved some of the banks along the side of the road so that snow removal in the future will be come easier.

Mrs. Bessie Reynolds arrived home from California Tuesday evening after spending the winter with her son, Rieley Reynolds, and family. Her sister, Mrs. Edith Bailey, returned with her.

Leon Stillford has returned to M. Bean's after being away for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Bean and children were at Errol, N. H., Sunday.

Our Sunday School had a very pleasant surprise of a volunteer organist. This will add much to our meetings when we get used to the surprise. We also have two more

members. Our next meetings will be May 18. The new work is very interesting so all who are not here better come and find out what's on the go.

Roger Reynolds has his saw mill working. This gives an old familiar sound to Swan's Corner.

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MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres.
Mrs. Mabel Cameron spent the afternoon and evening at Fred Bennett's last Thursday.

Mark Harvey who was ill with the "flu" returned to work for the Brown Company on Thursday.

Mrs. Ewen Cameron returned home from the St. Louis Hospital Saturday afternoon where she had been a patient since Monday.

Harold McGulley and family spent the week end at their house here.

Miss Martha Bennett, who has been ill lately is feeling some better.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cameron were afternoon callers at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mabel Cameron, Saturday.

The Freeman Abbott family like very well at Waterville, where they moved recently.

The ice is out of Sturtevant Pond and the "smelters" are very thick. Harry C. Lancaster has been appointed road commissioner in place of Clifford Littlehale who is at Upper Dam.

Everyone is sorry to have Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Littlehale move away and hope they will like at Upper Dam.

We had quite a snowstorm Sunday morning and the trees and ground were white.

Gordon Bragg is having a new roof on his house. Frank Allen of Errol is the carpenter.

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REAL ESTATE

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MISCELLANEOUS

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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Corres. - Friday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis were: Mrs. George Proctor of South Paris, Mrs. Lena Proctor and Mrs. Irwin Ellingwood of West Paris, and 2nd Lt. Frances Ellingwood of Eglin Air Force Base, Eglin, Fla.

Lena Curtis was a week and a half on her way from Washington at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton E. Bean of Bethel were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Barthol.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Wilfred Edgerton, at New Britain, Conn.

The Freeman Merrill, Jr., was at home from Ft. Dix, N. J., for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Heekala

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To Be Patient

THE words, "Be patient," are often taken to mean that one should submit passively to a discordant situation and wait to see what will happen; that one must be resigned and submissive under adverse conditions.

But to be patient more justly means something besides mere submission and quiet waiting. It signifies to stand firm in what one knows to be right, loving, and certain; to be quietly alert and expectant of good.

Jesus expressed such patience with his often dull and wavering disciples. He lovingly, persistently, and expectantly taught them the way of spiritual living through example and precept.

Those who are acquainted with farming know that after the farmer has prepared the soil and sown his seed, he does not sit idly by to see it sprout and come to fruition. He must carefully cultivate the soil and protect the growing plants from insect pests and other enemies.

The Apostle James makes this interesting comparison (James 5: 7, 8): "Be patient therefore, brethren, unto the coming of the Lord. Behold, the husbandman waiteth for the precious fruit of the earth, and hath long patience for it, until he receive the early and latter rain. He ye also patient; stablish your hearts: for the coming of the Lord draweth nigh."

Patience is an active quality which builds freely, constructively, and joyously on the foundation of Truth, even though error seems to insist that we are in bondage to material sense. When Paul and Silas were cast into prison and their feet were made fast in the stocks, they did not yield resignedly to the limitation of hopelessness. They prayed and sang hymns of joy. And they went free!

The writer once saw this statement in an article: "A waiting period put to good use, may be the primary schooling for some splendid demonstration." Such waiting and working spells progress. Let us not try to see the end of the road before we come around the mountain. But let us enjoy the present good while we are on this side of the hill. And if we go step by step, confident that God directs our path, we shall enjoy the journey and reach the goal with joy.

In putting together a jig-saw puzzle, we start out with a jumbled mass of pieces. For a time it may look as if the solution were impossible. But as we persist, watching the model in the picture that lies before us, gradually each piece takes its orderly place, until the last piece is fitted in to complete the perfect design. So we must proceed in working out the puzzle of human existence, watching the spiritual model as it is revealed and established in consciousness.

Most of us have had the experience of "running up against a stone wall," encountering a problem which seems impossible to solve. Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, writes in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 109): "The devotion of thought to an honest achievement makes the achievement possible." Note the words "devotion of thought." That is where the patience comes in. When we devote our thought to anything, we work patiently, consistently, and unwaveringly toward the goal. And when our goal is the spiritual understanding which will solve the problem and heal the situation, we give up mortal testimony and accept only spiritual facts.

An apostle writes (James 1: 4): "My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations; knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience. But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing."

—The Christian Science Monitor.

and son, William, of Gamble, Alaska, arrived last Friday to visit Mrs. Ruth Hastings. They are spending this week at Salisbury, Conn.

Mrs. Richard Kimball entertained at a hostess party Tuesday evening with twelve present. A prize was won by Mrs. Albert Adley of Rumford.

Mrs. Clara Pawlock returned home Saturday from the Rumford Community Hospital where she had been a patient for several days.

Maine is estimated to have produced some 20,000,000 poultry broilers in 1951.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. June Swan, Corres. - Amanda Bowers is confined to her home with bronchial pneumonia.

Mary Jane Martin is confined to her home by illness.

Thurl Hutchins spent the week end with his aunt, Mrs. Harriet Stowell, and family at Andover.

Della Morgan has returned from the Lewiston Hospital where she was a medical patient.

The Dunham family attended the wedding of Peter Dragoon at Rumford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marshall of Norway were Sunday guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall.

Thomas Roberts was injured in a fall Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift left Tuesday to attend the Congregational Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Swan of Elkton, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swan and children, Andrew and Roberta, of Conowingo, Md., were week end guests of relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmette Buckley and son, Ronald, of Berlin, N. H., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall.

Tsgt David Roberts, USAF, is spending a leave with his father, Thomas Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Twitchell have purchased Albert Swan's house on the Howe Hill road and will move in this week.

Randy and Janis Swan are confined to their home with bronchitis. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen were called to Rhode Island Sunday night by the death of Mr. Allen's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen and Ruthie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Ring and family at Biddeford.

Mrs. Ernest Swan and James Swan left Tuesday morning with Albert Swan to go as far as Hartford, Conn., where they will visit Keith Field at Elm Tree Inn, in Farmington, Conn.

Delwin Long has left Rumford's machine shop and is working at Bennett's recently purchased garage on the Locke Mills road.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. C. James Knights, Corres. - Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wheeler and son, Robert, of Lancaster, N. H., were week end guests of Mrs. Mary Knights and Billy.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Villa Sessions and daughter, Bernice, at Rumford, also Leola Davis, and mother, at Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harshat Abbott of Peterham, Mass., were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott.

Richard Cole and Harry Potter from the University of Maine were supper guests Tuesday night with Mr. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole.

The Village Improvement Society met Tuesday night at the Chapel.

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Losses	\$1,513,216.00
Loss Adjustment Expenses	67,000.00
Unearned Premiums	12,000,000.00
Taxes	834,000.00
Other Liabilities	47,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$14,500,216.00
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Unassigned Funds	\$1,000,000.00
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GOULD ACADEMY

Gould Academy's nine will play host on Saturday, May 10 at 2:00 p. m. to South Paris and on Wednesday, May 14, at 3:15 to Mexico. Both will be League games. Gould already has a win over Paris, but will probably be facing the Cardinal ace, Snow, on Saturday which may make it a different game. The Mexico Pintos will be making their first appearance against the Huskies.

Tuesday May 13, at 4:00 p. m., the Gould J. V. nine will face Andover High in the opening game for the Academy understudies.

The Academy presents another in its school assembly service programs in Wm. Bingham Gymnasium, Friday, May 9, at 11:15 a. m.

The program features "The Shooting Manfields," America's ace shooting family, featured annually in the nation's major sportsman shows. The father, Frank Mansfield, has been universally acknowledged as one of the nation's outstanding trick shooting performers who has pulled the trigger on some nine million bullets. He is ably assisted in his act by his wife, Marie, and daughter, Jeanie, both excellent shots in their own rights. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Call Waldron, Class of '51, took second place in an Oxford County Speaking Contest at Norway, Thursday, May 1.

BUDGET RECOMMENDED TO CONTROL FAMILY FINANCING

The family budget is one effective way to control family spending.

Dr. Ruth R. Honey, associate professor of family economics and housing at the Pennsylvania State College, says that while many families are enjoying a prosperity they didn't have ten years ago, others are having a difficult time because their income increase has lagged behind price increases.

People depending on investment incomes, those living on rather fixed salaries, and landlords particularly are in this latter group.

A chart on an average family budget might show, for example, that food takes about 45 cents of the dollar; clothing, 12 cents; rent, 12 cents; fuel, light, and refrigeration, 7 cents; house furnishings, 5 cents; and miscellaneous, 10 cents.

These amounts will vary with different families, Dr. Honey agrees, but points out that they give an idea as to where cuts can be made.

Prodding and pressuring, as much food as possible and buying foods in season as well as cutting on entertaining can help to reduce the large amount spent for food, Dr. Honey says.

Careful use of present equipment and furnishings, emphasizing quality in terms purchased, the elimination of certain luxuries, and home repair jobs were cited as other means to cut expenses.

"While saving on the little items is important, it is the areas that cut deepest into the budget that offer the greatest opportunities for budget balancing," Dr. Honey says.

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The LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

Of all the things that this USA is overstocked with, it is "problems" — we bulge at the seams. We don't solve one until we are handed a newer one. We elect gents who say, listen, folks, I'm your pal, soon as I get settled in my swivel chair I will smooth your path. So we say, you are our huckleberry — we believe every word you say — here is our vote. And in all this nation's 177 year history never before were we so over-run with unsolved problems.

We are world's sucker deluxe. And as we build taller and wider and more lavish schools, the problems increase. We cram our offshoots on the campus with education — but for wisdom, and how to judge as to what is true and what is honey, that goes by the board. No school that I can discover anywhere in this land includes "Asop in it's curriculum."

The labor temple puts its pickets on the march. For a sad sight, there is none sadder or more pitiful looking than a picket treading his beat. First we have a "problem," then we have a "racket" — that is the mode. One group cooks up a scheme to "homogenize" the races, another says let's have municipal ownership — we been electin' all of them. That is us all over — we are suckers de luxe for problems.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA

A headache to motorists, Headless Harry.

He walks in traffic without a worry.

The light may be wrong, but he does not tarry.

Not Headless Harry! He's in a hurry!

In nearly all the farming areas of Maine, a few stands of bees can be kept on the farm with profit, says Professor Charles O. Dirks, of the University of Maine. Free Maine Extension Bulletin 346 (revised), "Keeping Bees in Maine," may be obtained from county agents.

REVERIE, For Mother's Day
Addie Kendall Mason
My Mother's soft laugh o'er my senses doth steal,
And oft on my lips her caresses I feel;
Yet it's only in dreams, for the years have been long,
Since she went from my presence to join Heaven's throng.
Dear little Mother! thy swift willing hands
Were ever so ready to do,
No feet were so tireless, no voice was more tender,
No heart so loyal and true.
How often when trouble and sadness are 'round me,
I long for her presence to cheer;
Her counsel to guide me when ways are so darksome,
Her hand clasp so loving and dear.
Dear little Mother! thy foot steps now follow
The path ways by waters so still
And God hath restored to thine eyes their lost brightness,
To thy voice its musical trill.
Oh! Mother, if ever its given to angels,
—And thus some wise one did say,
Permission to watch over with gentle compassion
The loved on this old earth so gray.
Keep me from forgetting the faith that you taught me
When in childhood I knelt at your knee;
With the same faithful heart and eyes clear and tender
Dear little Mother! Keep watch over me.

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ALBANY-WATERFORD

—**Libian L. Brown, Corres.**—
Mr and Mrs Ernest Brown were in Lewiston Wednesday and Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. June Dacheider, who is a patient at the CMG Hospital.

Dwight Grover has purchased the lumber mill at North Waterford which was formerly owned by the W H Brown Co.

Ray Moscey has bought Ernest Brown's place near Papoose Pond. The Mosceys conveyed a parcel of land in Albany to Ernest Brown recently.

The Mesco brothers of Norway are cutting pine for Ray Moscey. Holden Sawin was in this place recently building fence.

Herbert Drew spent the week and at his place here.

The Canwells of Welchville were callers Sunday at Don Brown's. Friends here were sorry to hear that Fred Record is a patient again at the CMG Hospital. Mr. Record has pneumonia.

Mr and Mrs Gethell of Norway were callers Monday at Ray Langway's.

Mr and Mrs Lamont Brown were callers Thursday at Ernest Brown's. P P Pendexter of Deep Falls was in this place Monday.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

—**Annette Hilton, Corres.**—
Gerald Davis was in Lewiston on Friday to have his teeth extracted.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Moore and son, Teddy, from Falmes, Va., were week end guests of their parents, Mr and Mrs Allen Verrill.

James Andrews spent the week end in Connecticut.

There was a meeting of the Community Club at the Union School Thursday. Plans were made to purchase playground equipment.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Edgar E. Cross, late of Bethel, deceased. Gladys M. Cross of Bethel. Administrative without bond April 15, 1952.

Frederic D. Flint of Albany Township, ward. Olive L. Spinsky of Albany Township, Maine. Conservation with bond April 15, 1952.

Arthur Littlehale, late of Magalloway Plantation, deceased. Carl E. Littlehale of Wilkes, Md. Maine. Executor with bond March 25, 1952.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, to and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April, 1952, the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said April. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of May, A. D. 1952, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Walter W. Brown, late of Bethel, deceased. Pauline for the appointment of Francis P. Brown as administrator of the estate of said deceased without bond presented to Bethel Probate Court and returned.

George F. Thompson, late of Bethel, deceased. Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Francis P. Thompson as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will presented by Francis P. Thompson, a son of the deceased, there named.

Howard J. Bane, late of Bethel, deceased. Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Francis P. Bane as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will presented by Francis P. Bane, the executor thereof named.

Walter A. Bennett, late of Greenwood, deceased. Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of James H. Bennett as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will presented by James H. Bennett, the executor thereof named.

Tracy L. Turner, late of Bethel, deceased. Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Francis P. Turner as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will presented by Francis P. Turner, the executor thereof named.

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Handbooked rugs can be washed successfully at home, either by the above method, or by the washed method, if they're a small enough size. The same applies to small rugs and mats.

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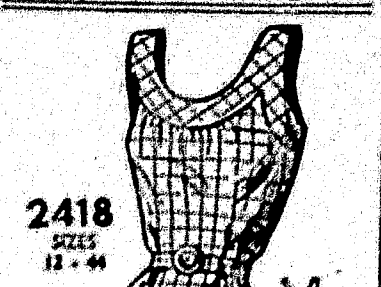
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BULLETIN ON FREEZING FOODS AVAILABLE

"Preparing Foods for the Home Freezer" is the title of Maine Extension Bulletin 420 just off the presses at the University of Maine. It's free from county home demonstration agents or by writing the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Maine, Orono. The bulletin points out that the freezing of foods, if properly done, is one of the most satisfactory methods of preservation that we have. Directions and photographs on freezing fruits, vegetables, and meats are included in the 12-page bulletin. The author is Dr. Kathryn E. Briwa, Extension foods specialist.

When you want a taxi call 103, adv.

This Week's Patterns by AUDREY LANE



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SONGO POND

—**Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.**—
Mr and Mrs Abner Kimball and Mr and Mrs Leslie Kimball attended the funeral of Robert Kimball in Norway, Thursday.

Urban DeCormier and Frank have returned to Abner Kimball. Mr and Mrs Eddie Claremont have returned to their camp at the pond.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Kimball were in Fryeburg on business Saturday afternoon.

Edward and Warren Lapham spent a few days over the week end in Houlton.

Several people from Bethel and this vicinity met at Ralph Kimball's Sunday and discussed future care of the Songo Cemetery. Another meeting will be held at the cemetery, May 18th, at 2 p. m. for clean-up and form an association. It is hoped all interested will try to attend.

Mr and Mrs Wilfred Goding of Woburn, Mass., Mr and Mrs Herbert McKenzie of Candia, N. H., spent the week end at George Logan's. Mr and Mrs Robert Estes were callers Saturday evening.

Mrs Floyd Kimball entertained several little friends of her son, Kenny, Monday, after school in honor of his 11th birthday. Guests were Timmy and Tommy Carter, of East Bethel, Harry and Rodney Kimball of West Bethel, Russell Millett, Billy Rich, Richard Lapham, Jimmie Logan, Bertha, Millett and Linda Kimball, Dorothy cake and ice cream were enjoyed.

Mrs Helen Jewell and children, Mrs Eleanor Bean and Betty spent Sunday with their parents, Mr and Mrs Leslie Kimball. Callers in the afternoon were Mr and Mrs Wendell Barker and two boys of Norway, Mr and Mrs Arthur Kimball of Bryant Pond.

Mrs Marion Arsenault has returned home, after caring for relatives in Gorham, N. H., several weeks. Little Lee Arsenault is sick again at the home of Mr and Mrs Howard Lapham.

Eric Stowe has returned to Boaz Camp, Aziscoos Lake, for the summer.

Mr and Mrs Willis Bean and son, from Bangor have moved into the Songo school house, which has just been remodeled. Mr Bean is employed by the Maine Forest Service.

NOBLEBORO WOMAN HEADS WOMEN'S DIVISION OF EXTENSION ASSOCIATION

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WEST PARIS

—**Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Corres.**—
Mrs Iona F. Andrews, lecturer of West Paris Grange announced Wednesday that Bertha H. Witham of West Paris was local winner in the Nation-wide essay contest sponsored by the National Grange and the American Plant Food Council on the subject, "Conservation Farming for Abundant Living."

The essay of Miss Witham has been sent to the State Grange to compete for State and National prizes totalling \$10,000, furnished by the American Plant Food Council. National awards are: First prize, \$1,000; second, \$500; third, \$400; fourth, fifth and sixth, \$300 each. In addition State awards will be \$100 first prize; \$50 second and \$25 third.

Miss Witham will receive an attractive certificate of award and an embossed pin.

The annual meeting of the West Paris Library Association was held Monday at the Library. Officers elected: president, Rev. Earle W. Dolph; vice president, Mrs. Margaret Nangle; secretary, Miss Agnes Gray; treasurer, Mrs. Beale Mann; directors for three years, Lester Penley, Harlan Andrews, Clarence Coffin.

At the Directors meeting held after the regular meeting, the following appointments were made: librarian, Miss Clara Berry; assistant librarian, Mrs. Leon Penley; second assistant, Mrs. June Dolph; Junior assistant, Miss Rose Curtis; Social committee, Mrs. Ida Hadley, Miss Agnes Gray, Mrs. Beale Mann, Mrs. Hazel Perham, Mrs. Leone Penley; Book buying committee, Miss Clara Berry, Mrs. Leone Penley, Mr. Agnes Gray, Mrs. Avis Stellhorn, Mrs. Abbie Abbott, Mrs. June Stellhorn, Mrs. Margaret Nangle.

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WATERFORD

—**Mrs. Katherine O'Leary, Corres.**—
Darlene and Mary Morrill of Bethel spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Henry Sanderson.

Miss Helen O'Leary and nephew, Larry Flaherty, of Lawrence, Mass., have returned to their home after spending several days with her brother, Lawrence O'Leary.

The Waterford PTA election of officers was held at the school on Wednesday evening followed by a talk by Major General Frank B. Lowe of Harrison. General Lowe was President Truman's personal representative in Korea.

Dr and Mrs Elliot Bishop, Miss Allie Stratford and Mrs. Clara Relyea, all of Brooklyn, N. Y., are at their summer homes here in Waterford. Once again we are happy to welcome our summer guests back and I hope their stay may be a long and happy vacation.

Guy Bancroft has been doing some plowing for Frank Morgan. Mrs. Amy Hubbard returned home Monday. She has been in Illinois to get her granddaughter who expects to spend several weeks here while her parents, the John Hubbards, are moving.

We hope you all will make plans to dine at the Memorial School Friday evening, May 16, for a home baked bean supper followed by an evening of home talent show.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Rounds Jr., were in Portland recently for a check up on their new son.

The May breakfast at the Wilkins House was a success and this will be followed by another one in July. Hostesses were: Anna Bull, Irene Bean, Blanche Tyler and Lillian Rogers.

There was a large turn out at South Waterford Friday evening

of last week for the supper and dance. All proceeds went to the Red Cross for flood relief work.

In spite of our cold windy day new flowers seem to blossom forth every day.

Mrs. Frank Pike of Bridgton was in Bryant Pond last week visiting her cousins.

Kathleen Scribner, a 7th grade pupil of Mr O'Leary's, won the trip to Norway for the Spelling Bee.

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SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mt. Abram Lodge, No. 21, I. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings. N. G. George Lothrop, Secretary, Rodney Hanson.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 61. Meets first and third Monday evenings. N. G., Ella Cole. Rec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M., Ernest Perkins. Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Purity Chapter, No. 105, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M., Ada Cummings. Secretary, Ethel Blakes.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 124. West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Robert Gilbert. Secretary, Olive Head.

Alder River Grange, No. 145, East Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evenings. Master, James C. Bartlett. Secretary, Marguerite Bartlett.

Deer River Grange, No. 225, Newry Corner. Meets every other Saturday. Master, Russell Yates. Secretary, Ida Wright.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Richard Davis. Secretary, Murray Thurston.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Wilbur Myers. Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. S. O. S. Methodist Church. Meets first Thursday afternoons. President, Sadie Brooks. Secretary, Doris Brown.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Foster. Secretary, Marie Nichols.

Eleanor Gordon Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Frances Baun. Secretary, Beatrice Lowell.

ALBANY HUNTS CORNER—AND VICINITY

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres.
Rev W I Bull conducted the Communion Service at the church at Hunt's Corner, Sunday morning. The following were received into membership: Mrs Arline Leighton, Urban Leighton, Mildred Rugg, Amy Cummings, Joanne Baker, Ruth and Kenneth Bumpus.

There will be a rummage sale held at the church vestry Thursday, May 22d, from 5 to 6 in the afternoon.

Mrs Howard Inman and Infant son, Michael Robin, returned home from the Norway Hospital, Thursday forenoon. Her mother, Mrs Edith Stearns, is staying with her for a few days.

The first May basket of the season was hung for Kenneth Bumpus, Thursday evening.

Thursday evening several from this neighborhood attended the surprise party given Mr and Mrs Arthur Andrews at Bryant Pond in honor of their 45th wedding anniversary. May 1 was also the 55th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs L J Andrews. Rev and Mrs Bull called there in the evening.

Mr and Mrs Ray Andrews called on Mr and Mrs George Lowe, Sunday.

Eddie Libby and friend found a large set of moose horns in the woods Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Wardwell and daughters, Jean and Jane, called at Harlan Bumpus' Tuesday evening.

Wednesday afternoon and evening Mrs Hazel Wardwell and Mrs Harlan Bumpus attended the Association meeting at Brownfield. Mrs Olive Spinney stayed with Mrs Eleanor Stearns' mother, Mrs Hebb, while Mrs Stearns also attended the meeting.

Aubrey Daye of Bethel spent the week end at Alfred Leighton's. Mr and Mrs L J Andrews spent Sunday at Mr and Mrs Albert Keniston's camp at Stoneham.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Hazelton and son, Tony, were Sunday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Harlan Bumpus and family.

Mrs Hazel Mann called at Alfred Leighton's Saturday evening. Mr and Mrs Fred Hersey called at their daughter's, Mrs Ray Andrews', Thursday afternoon.

Mrs Lilla Stearns, Mrs Edna Stearns and daughter, Janice, attended the dance at Abner Kimball's Pavilion Saturday night.

Warren Lapham and Bernard Harrington built fence for L J Andrews Thursday.

Mrs Arline Leighton and family spent Saturday at Curt Winslow's. Mrs Olive Spinney, Mrs Hazel Wardwell, and Mrs Annie Bumpus accompanied Mrs Eleanor Stearns and her mother, Mrs Hebb, to the May Fellowship Meeting and Tea at the Bethel Congregational Church Friday afternoon.

Angie Lapham visited Mrs Beetha Andrews Thursday.

Alfred Leighton called on Robert Kerr Sunday.

Sunday callers at Howard Inman's were: Mr and Mrs Richard Stevens and family, Ben Inman, Mrs Laura Pirkham, Mrs Rachel Hazelton and son, Tony, and Mrs Annie Bumpus.

Mr and Mrs Erwin Hutchinson were Sunday supper guests of Mr and Mrs John Spinney.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD



This snapshot is fine in black-and-white, but if it were in color, the print of the mother's dress would dominate the picture.

Restraint Is a Virtue in Color Photography

Many users of color film, particularly those who are new at it, tend to see how much color they can get into each picture. The result can be what the writer of the new edition of "How to Make Good Pictures" describes as a "vibrant color hash."

He was making specific reference to a picture of a pretty girl who was wearing a brightly colored blouse in a geometric print with an equally bright skirt in a flower design. Unfortunately, the model's pretty face was completely overshadowed by the riot of brilliant color in her costume. The same picture would have been all right in black and white because the printed fabric would have been recorded in shades of gray and would not have dominated the picture.

When shooting pictures in color, you have to think in terms of the color in the scene where you are. In nature most of the color combinations tend to be pleasing and harmonious—not clashing, garish, noisy—and it offers a good example to follow in setting up your

color pictures. Most beginners tend to crowd too much raw color into their pictures—vibrant reds, greens, purples, yellows. They have to learn that a very small amount of color will produce a pleasing picture. For example, think of a snow scene with a few dark green evergreens and delicate blue shadows on the snow. That would be subtle, yet complete and very pleasing. Big splashes of poster paint color may be exciting at first glance, but they don't wear very well.

In planning shots it is well to remember that vivid reds and yellows tend to attract attention and are, therefore, helpful as accents at or near the center of interest. Cool dark colors, on the other hand, tend to recede so that gray-greens, blue-greens, dark blues, are especially useful as backgrounds.

What will take care of the color arrangement in most of your pictures, but when you can move your subject around to suit yourself, keep color balance and harmony in mind.

—John van Garder

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LITTLE KNOWN FACTS ABOUT OUR WELL-KNOWN FACULTY

by Bob Harriman in the Vermont Junior College News

Miss Ivy Catherine Philbrook, dietitian and home economics instructor, takes the spotlight as this week's personality, and should be of particular interest to everyone for she eats the college table, so to speak. It is through her capable hands that menus, (including proper minerals and vitamins) are transformed into tempting and carefully planned meals.

Miss Philbrook was born of Anglo-Saxon parentage in Bethel, Maine, attended its grammar schools and graduated from the Gould Academy in 1943. She continued her education at Nassau College at Springvale and graduated as a diet therapy major in 1947. After two months of field training at the Boston Dispensary Food Clinic, and after some time at the Maine General Hospital in Portland, she came to Vermont Junior College, and states she has now been here five years.

Miss Philbrook gives special praise to those who work with her. "I don't believe you can find people anywhere to replace them," she said, "for as to friendliness and efficiency, they are tops. I like the students," she continued, "and I savor 'unsplotted Vermont'."

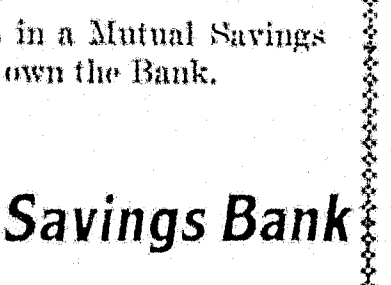
like the community life we practice here. We have more community living here than any other school I can think of, and with our student-faculty relationship as such, it is as one big happy family, of which I am proud to be a part."

Again Main Dorm appears in the limelight, as it has for the past two weeks. Miss Philbrook states, "I have lived at Main Dorm ever since my stay at V. J. C., and I wouldn't move to any other building on the campus. I like Main Dorm for quite a few reasons," she continued, "but I think most of all, I like its historical background and its odd design in the shape of an E. I can't make up my mind though," she added, "which fascinates me the most."

Miss Philbrook has so many hobbies and outside interests, that it would take a column to list them, but here are just a few: she loves classical music; (private sources have it that she has acquired a fortune in phonograph records); treasures literature, (especially the works of Edna St. Vincent Millay—also a native of Maine); likes hunting and fishing and is quite an enthusiastic mountain climber. "In Vermont," she states "my hobby especially is exploring all the various dirt roads which comprise the true students," she continued, "and I savor 'unsplotted Vermont'."

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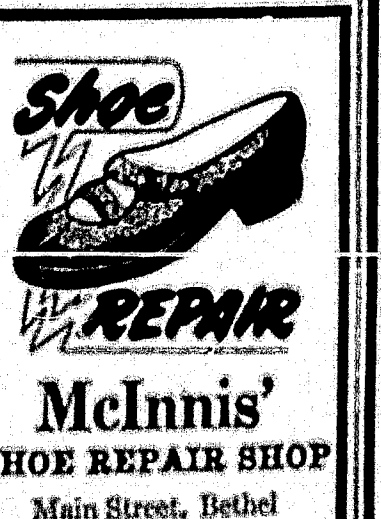
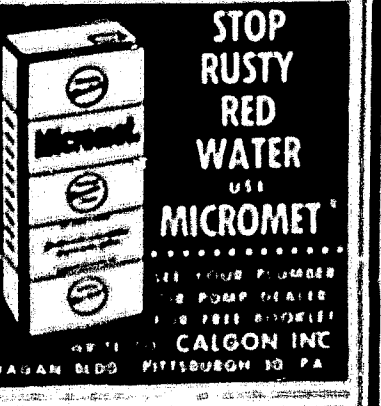
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Miss Corrie M. Wight was re-elected for a two-year term as school superintendent of the Union District. Miss Wight was just completing a six-year term.

Deaths: Ernest M. Walker, Henry Crockett, Percy Walker.

20 YEARS AGO

Fire destroyed the stable and shed of the Allen Richardson home in Hanover. Pumps from Rumford Point and Rumford were called. A loss of about \$4,000 was reported.

Dr. B. B. Greenleaf purchased the Harry Jordan property on Vernon Street.

Deaths: George Cogswold, Mrs. Martha Bartlett, Ervin Hutchinson, Charles K. Hodson.

30 YEARS AGO

A new industry making paper products, umbrellas, ice-cream makers, etc., was getting underway in F. J. Tyler's shop on Summer Street.

D. C. Conroy was the first citizen of Bethel to install a radio. He was located at the home of J. N. Swan. The buildings of Merton Kilgore of North Newry were totally destroyed by fire.

L. C. Bates of West Paris purchased a camp site of 125 acres with a frontage of one-half mile on Dudley Lake, Locke Mills. This was for the use of Boy Scouts.

Deaths: Samuel A. Eames.

40 YEARS AGO

May 10 brought frozen ground and ice the thickness of window glass.

A Mr. Crawford of Jefferson, N. H., was in town looking for heavy working gear. He purchased one of the Dana Halls for \$125.

Deaths: Samuel A. Eames.

FIVE TOWN TEACHERS CLUB

The Five Town Teachers' Club met at Crescent Park School Monday evening with Miriam McAllister and Mrs. Twitchell as very efficient hostesses.

Posters and clippings were distributed in preparation for the drawing of the grocery baskets on May 20th at the next regular PTA meeting.

It is hoped all friends of the school will help to swell the Scholarship Fund by purchasing clippings. Three baskets will be given away.

This fund will be used exclusively for tuition for some deserving student for one year at a Teachers' College beginning this fall. This will be given annually.

The next meeting will be a picnic at Mrs. Hazel Wheeler's camp. The hope all substitute teachers and Mrs. Charles Wight, as well as regular teachers, can attend.

The Bethel High was damaged by a fire. The fire department was called. The fire was caused by a short circuit in the wiring.

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IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Miss Barbara Bartlett spent the week end at Rumford Center.

Eldon Greenleaf was at home from Boston during the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clunie were at their home in Damariscotta over the week end.

Mrs. Alphonse Baker is a surgical patient at the Maine General Hospital, Portland.

Mrs. Robert Browne and son of Keweenaw were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Browne.

Earl Davis and Robert Keniston were on a fishing trip at Rosebuck Camps during the week end.

Mrs. Herbert I. Bean is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wendell Gibbs, and family in Peabody, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hinkley and son Wallace of Brewer were week end guests of Rev. and Mrs. David Hickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Ireland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shrohan and Richard Ireland at Middlebury, Vt.

Miss Erast is adding two more attractive "over-nites" for the accommodation of his guests at the New Yorker in Mayville.

Mrs. Theodore Haselline of Dexter and Mrs. Edith Hollis of Gorham, N. H., recently visited their step-mother, Mrs. Viciella Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith came Monday from Portland to spend some time with Mrs. Malinda Smith and Asa Smith on Vernon Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Smith and Francis Butler of Salem, Va., are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredland Clark, Mrs. Nellie Cummings, Eric Stove and Miss Addie Flint left Friday to spend several months at Rosebuck Camps, Aulacoon Lake.

Cpl. Earl LaFame of Watford, Conn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Daye. He is a Korean veteran and will enter the Murphy Hospital, Waltham, Mass., for treatment.

The Ladies Club will hold their final meeting of the season with a luncheon at 1817 House, Hanover, May 15. Those wishing reservations and transportation please contact Mrs. R. M. Nichols. Call 157-11.

The Francis R. Berry recently completed the eight-weeks Leadership Course conducted by the 1st Tank Battalion of the Eighth Infantry Division's Specialist Training Regiment at Fort Jackson, S. C.

At the Teacher-Parent meeting at the Methodist Church Sunday evening Leslie Davis gave a talk on his visit to Cuba, and Mrs. Starline Brown gave a demonstration of the work of her Sunday School pupils.

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THE AMERICAN WAY

Fellow-Travelers

by

Dr. Alfred

P. Haake



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(EDITOR'S NOTE: Alfred P. Haake, Ph.D., Mayor of Park Ridge, Illinois, is a noted Economist, Business Consultant, Lecturer and Author.)

This, I'm afraid, may not be a popular place, for it comes too close to the truth to be comfortable for many readers. But it is more important than any other I have written, and it must be said.

A prominent clergyman in the Chicago area makes the mistake that is typical of many good people who, without realizing what they are doing, give aid and comfort to the most deadly enemy of the Christian faith. He conceals the real fellow-traveler of communism by pointing in the wrong direction at those whom he denounces as fellow-travelers.

He defines a fellow-traveler as "one who either denies or seeks to restrict the meaning of spiritual and moral considerations in life." But, one can be guilty of restricting and even denying, the meaning of spiritual and moral considerations in life without being in sympathy with the communist or aiding the communist cause. The materialist, who sees reality only in matter, would certainly "restrict" the meaning of spiritual and moral considerations in life. But that would not necessarily make him be-

lieve in state control over pure economic life and the tyranny of a dictator over the people. He might even oppose such tyranny, and fight against government control of our economic life, and still "restrict" the spiritual meaning of life.

A dog is an animal, but not every animal is a dog. By the same token, while the communist is a materialist, not every materialist is a communist.

The truth is that a fellow-traveler is anyone who follows the communist line or who aids the communist program leading toward the tyranny of the State over the individual.

And by that definition, even a professing Christian may be a fellow-traveler, without realizing what he is doing. For there are professing Christians such as the now repudiated Methodist Council for Social Action, who approve the attack on private property, who believe in confiscatory income taxes to equalize income, inheritance taxes that destroy the savings of a generation, who favor rigid government control over prices and wages, and insist on government responsibility for the welfare of the individual citizen. All of these many of them tragically unaware of the significance of what they are doing, are helping to establish communist philosophy in control of our economic, social and political life.

The same clergyman says we must compare the philosophies of Christianity and communism in order to see the horrors of communism, but also insists that we must separate the philosophies from their involvement in social, economic and political tensions, that is from their implementation in economic life. So doing, he denounces communism as a philosophy but refuses to attack the measures through which the communist persuades even professing Christians to follow the communist line and promote the communist cause.

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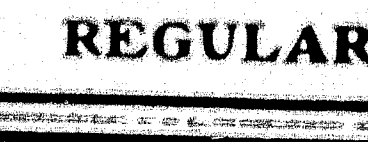
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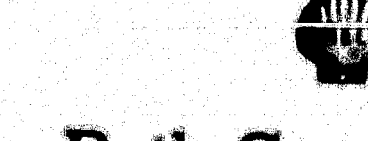
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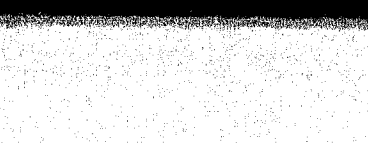
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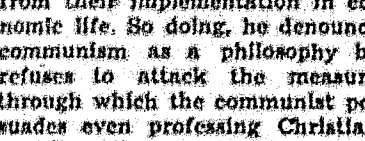
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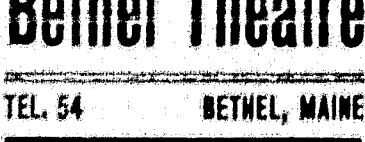
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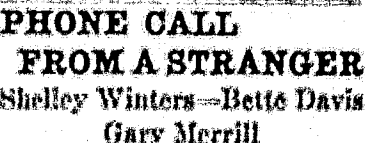
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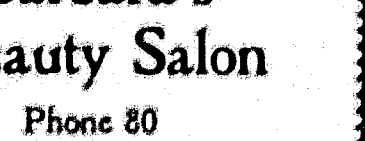
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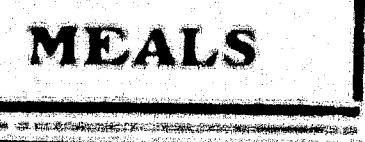
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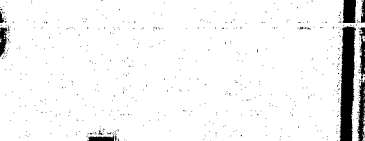
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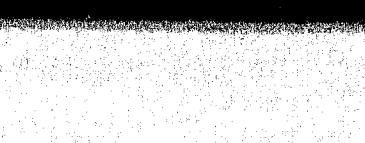
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